



**LIST OF RELATED CASES**

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Patent Appl. Publication No.</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03		TOMITA et al.
268603US3	11/100,813	04/07/05		OJIMI et al.

*Claims considered 10 8/05*

\*Present Application; listed for information

NFO/gyy

\\MEMREL\2415-2425\241833US LIST10.doc

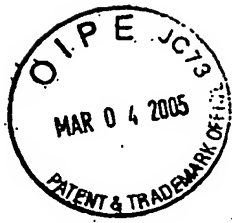


LIST OF RELATED CASES

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Patent Appl. Publication No.</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
267244US0	11/081,738	03/17/05		NAKAYAMA, et al.
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03		TOMITA, et al.

*claim considered is 8/05*

\*Present Application; listed for information  
NFO/hah



LIST OF RELATED CASES

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Patent Appl. Publication No.</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03		TOMITA et al.
263111US2	11/016,964	12/21/04		OHKI, et al.

*Claim cancelled, 8/05*



LIST OF RELATED CASES

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Patent Appl. Publication No.</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03		TOMITA et al.
259916US2	10/969,076	10/21/04		UCHINOKURA et al.

*claims considered is 8/05*

\*Present Application; listed for information

NFO/kcf/gyy

I:\MEMREL\2415-2425\241833US LIST8.DOC



**LIST OF RELATED CASES**

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Patent Appl. Publication No.</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03		TOMITA, et al.
/258784US23	10/960,084	10/8/04		YAMADA, et al.
259255US0	10/959,663	10/7/04		SUGIURA, et al.

*Claims considered jo 8/05*

\*Present Application; listed for information

NFO/amr/get



**LIST OF RELATED CASES**

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03	TOMITA et al.
257020US3	10/921,993	08/20/04	AMEMIYA et al

*claim considered 10 8/05*

\*Present Application; listed for information

NFO/sch

I:\MEMREL\241s-242s\241833US LIST5.DOC



LIST OF RELATED CASES

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03	TOMITA et al.
257159US3	10/921,923	08/20/04	KOIKE et al.

*Claim counsel of 76 8/05*



**LIST OF RELATED CASES**

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03	TOMITA et al.
254308US2	10/874,269	06/24/04	MURAKAMI et al.

*Claim considered jo 8/05*

\*Present Application; listed for information

NFO/gyy

I:\MEMREL\241s-242s\241833US LIST4.DOC





LIST OF RELATED CASES

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03	TOMITA et al.
254307US2	10/874,167	06/24/04	MURAKAMI et al.

*claim considered is 8/05*

\*Present Application; listed for information

NFO/sch

I:\MEMREL\241s-242s\241833US LIST 2.DOC



**LIST OF RELATED CASES**

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03	TOMITA et al.
255115US2	10/875,402	06/25/04	SUGIURA et al.

*Owner acknowledged jo 8/05*



**LIST OF RELATED CASES**

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03	TOMITA, et al.
253799US0	10/872,640	06/22/04	MATSUOKA, et al.

*Claims considered jo 8/05*

\*Present Application; listed for information  
NFO/amr/wal



**LIST OF RELATED CASES**

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03	TOMITA et al.
251918US2	10/844,442	05/13/04	YAMASHITA et al.

*claim can be used 10. 8/05*

\*Present Application; listed for information

NFO/gyy

I:\MEM\EMREL\241s-242s\241833US LIST3.doc



**LIST OF RELATED CASES**

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03	TOMITA et al.
252707US3	10/836,264	05/03/04	SHINTANI et al.

*Claim conference 10 8/05*

\*Present Application; listed for information

NFO/sba

I:\MEM\EMREL\241s-242s\241833US LIST2.DOC



**LIST OF RELATED CASES**

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03	TOMITA, et al
251784US2	10/820,726	04/09/04	KOIKE et al.

*Claim considered to 8/05*

\*Present Application; listed for information

NFO/gyy

I:\EM\EMREL\241S-242S\241833US LIST.DOC



SHEET 1 OF 1

Form PTO 1449  
(Modified)U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

ATTY DOCKET NO.

241833US0

SERIAL NO.

10/645,804

## LIST OF REFERENCES CITED BY APPLICANT

APPLICANT

Masami TOMITA, et al

FILING DATE

August 22, 2003

GROUP

3749

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
16	AA	5,935,751	08/10/1999	H. MATSUOKA, et al.			
	AB						
	AC						
	AD						
	AE						
	AF						
	AG						
	AH						
	AI						
	AJ						
	AK						
	AL						
	AM						
	AN						

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	TRANSLATION	
					YES	NO
16	AO	2002-6541	01/09/2002	JAPAN		X
16	AP	1 186 960	03/13/2002	EUROPE		
	AQ					
	AR					
	AS					
	AT					
	AU					
	AV					

## OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

16	AW	Patent Abstracts of Japan, JP 2002-169336, June 14, 2002				
	AX					
	AY					
	AZ					<input type="checkbox"/> Additional References sheet(s) attached

Examiner

J Goodrow

Date Considered

8/05

\*Examiner: Initial if reference is considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.



**LIST OF RELATED CASES**

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
244681US-0	10/724,260	12/01/03	EMOTO, et al.
241833US-0*	10/645,804	8/22/03	TOMITA, et al.

*claim unenforced; 8/05*





**LIST OF RELATED CASES**

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03	TOMITA, et al.
245003US0	10/724,150	12/01/03	TOMITA, et al.
245019US0	10/707,000	11/14/03	TOMITA, et al.

*Claim considered 10 8/05*

\*Present Application; listed for information  
NFO/amr



### LIST OF RELATED CASES

<u>Docket Number</u>	<u>Serial or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing or Issue Date</u>	<u>Inventor/ Applicant</u>
235764US0	10/394,265	03/24/03	NANYA, et al.
232409US0	10/329,538	12/27/02	HIGUCHI, et al.
230284US0	10/286,791	11/04/02	SUGIYAMA, et al.
228562US0	10/247,639	09/20/02	SUGIYAMA, et al.
231077US0	10/305,191	11/27/02	UCHINOKURA, et al.
228250US0	10/244,526	09/17/02	SUGIYAMA, et al.
236939US0	10/444,013	05/23/03	SAWADA, et al.
228571US0	10/251,855	09/23/02	SAWADA, et al.
226638US2	10/212,736	08/07/02	SUGIURA, et al.
228607US0	10/252,070	09/23/02	AOKI, et al.
228029US0	10/246,601	09/19/02	EMOTO, et al.
229743US0	10/284,177	10/31/02	YAGI, et al.
229498US0	10/286,816	11/04/02	EMOTO, et al.
230783US2	10/303,910	11/26/02	SAMPE, et al.
230177US2	10/285,636	11/01/02	OHJIMI, et al.
221548US0	10/112,769	04/02/02	SUGIYAMA, et al.
223537US0	10/158,069	05/31/02	MATSUDA, et al.
223523US0	10/153,627	05/24/02	SUZUKI, et al.
225257US0	10/188,049	07/03/02	SUGIYAMA, et al.

\*Present Application; listed for information  
NFO/amr

*Claim correspond to 5/105*



224723US0	10/176,578	06/24/02	SHIMOTA, et al.
225291US0	10/188,753	07/05/02	EMOTO, et al.
221058US0	10/114,056	04/03/02	FUSHIMI, et al.
222880US0	10/151,103	05/21/02	KONDO, et al.
219857US0	10/077,752	02/20/02	IWAMOTO, et al.
218952US0	10/059,240	01/31/02	SUGIURA, et al.
220113US0	10/092,920	03/08/02	YAMASHITA
<del>220943US0</del>	<del>6,660,443</del>	<del>12/09/03</del>	<del>SUGIYAMA, et al.</del>
217549US2	10/020,925	12/19/01	MOCHIZUKI, et al.
220228US0	10/086,683	03/04/02	MATSUDA, et al.
221089US0	10/101,756	03/21/02	MATSUDA, et al.
219850US0	10/077,813	02/20/02	MATSUDA, et al.
219257US2	10/079,878	02/22/02	KATOH, et al.
<del>216314US2</del>	<del>6,653,037</del>	<del>11/25/03</del>	<del>SAWADA, et al.</del>
216544US0	09/993,606	11/27/01	KOTSUGA, et al.
215990US0	09/996,585	11/30/01	HIGUCHI, et al.
<del>214138US2</del>	<del>6,593,048</del>	<del>07/15/03</del>	<del>SASAKI, et al.</del>
214503US0	09/964,622	09/28/01	NANYA, et al.
241833US0*	10/645,804	08/22/03	TOMITA, et al.

*Classified as 8/05*

\*Present Application; listed for information  
NFO/amr

Form PTO 1449 (Modified)		U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTY DOCKET NO. 241833US0		SERIAL NO. 10/645,804	
LIST OF REFERENCES CITED BY APPLICANT				APPLICANT Masami TOMITA, et al.			
				FILING DATE August 22, 2003		GROUP 3749	
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
16	AA	6,660,443	12-09-03	SUGIYAMA et al.			
16	AB	6,653,037	11-25-03	SAWADA et al.			
16	AC	6,593,048	07-15-03	SASAKI et al.			
	AD						
	AE						
	AF						
	AG						
	AH						
	AI						
	AJ						
	AK						
	AL						
	AM						
	AN						
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	TRANSLATION YES NO		
	AO						
	AP						
	AQ						
	AR						
	AS						
	AT						
	AU						
	AV						
OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)							
	AW						
	AX						
	AY						
	AZ						<input type="checkbox"/> Additional References sheet(s) attached
Examiner J Goodrow				Date Considered 8/05			
*Examiner: Initial if reference is considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.							